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DECLARATION OF ANDREW M. LENARCIC

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I, Andrew M. Lenarcic, under penalty of perjury, do hereby declare:

1. I am a member of the staff of the Church of Scientology and in that capacity I am currently responsible and in charge of the custody of much of the archive material held by the Church which concerns L. Ron Hubbard, the Founder of Dianetics and Scientology. These are the very same materials Gerry Armstrong had responsibility for when he was a member of the Church and, as such, the Church's Archivist.

2. Many of the materials in the archives consist of personal documents, artifacts, photographs, writings and publications by or concerning L. Ron Hubbard.

3. Of the documents and artifacts which exist in the archives (all of which concern or deal with L. Ron Hubbard), more than 30 percent are owned by the Church. This material that is owned by the Church was donated to the Church or purchased by the Church from private collections, or it is material that was researched and gathered by Church members. The remaining, approximately 20 percent, is L. Ron Hubbard's personal property entrusted to the Church for its use as it sees fit.

4. Since Mr. Hubbard is the Founder of the religious philosophy and technology of Dianetics and Scientology, our Church membership has a profound spiritual interest in his works, his reputation and his well being.

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1 5. I am presently continuing a project to put together
2 biographical material dealing with L. Ron Hubbard. This was
3 the reason the Church obtained custody of many of the personal
4 files and documents of L. Ron Hubbard which exist in the
5 archives today.

6 6. The archives are financially supported by the
7 Church.

8 7. Access to the archive files is limited, as it
9 would be in any archives, and part of my responsibility, and
10 that of the Church is to preserve these materials; a great
11 many of which are highly valuable in monetary terms and
12 extremely precious to the Church as they represent the work
13 and history of the Founder of Scientology and Dianetics.

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15 I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing
16 is true and correct.

17 Executed on August 22, 1982, at Los Angeles, California.

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21 ANDREW M. LEMARCIC
22 DECLARANT
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